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FEBRUARY 27, 2008

MICHAEL W. DOBBINS  
CLERK, U.S. DISTRICT COURT



U. S. Citizenship and Immigration Service  
Chicago District Office

STATUS INQUIRY FORM

DATE: 04/04/05

CORRESPONDENCE DETAILS

On Behalf of (Applicant):

A Number: 073426275

Name: DESTA TSEDEKE H  
Last First Middle

Mailing Address: 920 W. LAKE SIDE place Apt # 2408

City: CHICAGO State: IL Zip Code: 60640

Daytime Phone Number: (773) 544 5915

Country of Birth: ETHIOPIA Date of Birth: 08/30/66

☐ Check box if author is same as applicant  
(DO NOT complete the following if box is checked)

Type of inquiry:

☐ Applicant ☒ J. N. Attorney ☐ CBO

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Firm / Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Suite # or Apt. #: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

CORRESPONDENCE INFORMATION

☐ Check if telephonic inquiry

Class: GENERAL

Request Type (check all that apply): ☐ Address Change

☐ General

☐ Received Documents

Type of Application (check one):

☐ Adjustment of Status

☒ Citizenship

FORM FILED (check boxes below that apply):

☐ I-130

☐ I-485

☐ I-751

☐ I-765

☐ I-824

☐ N-336

☒ N-400

☐ N-565

☐ N-600

☐ N-643

☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

REQUEST RESCHEDULE FOR (check one): ☐ Interview

☐ Oath

☐ Fingerprinting

Additional Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE APPLICATION FILED: 01/06/2004

\*\*\* INQUIRIES MAY BE MADE BY APPLICANTS, BENEFICIARIES, ATTORNEYS, AND ACCREDITED REPRESENTATIVES ONLY. IF YOU ARE AN ATTORNEY, A FORM G-28 MUST BE ATTACHED.

\*\*\* CBOs MUST INCLUDE A PRIVACY RELEASE SIGNATURE FROM THE APPLICANT:

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\* MAIL INQUIRIES TO: USCIS, CUSTOMER SERVICE, P.O. BOX 3616, CHICAGO, IL. 60690  
CU Revised 08/14/03

Exhibit F

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## SEARCH CRITERIA:

CIDN : A073426275  
A-NUMBER : 073426275  
NAME (L/F): DESTA

ORI: USINSHQ0Z

TSEDEKE HAILU

DATE OF BIRTH : 08/30/1966  
NC REQUEST SENT: 08/06/2004  
PLACE OF BIRTH : ETH

## \*\*\*\*\* FBI RESPONSE INFORMATION \*\*\*\*\*

FBI RESPONSE DESC : PENDING  
DATE PROCESSED BY FBI: 08/18/2004  
DATE/TIME LOADED AT INS: 08/21/2004 16:13:34

FBI NAME: DESTA,TSEDEKE HAILU

FBI DATE OF BIRTH: 08/30/1966

PF6  
PRIOR SCREEN

PF8  
LOGOFF

Exhibit G

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND COMMERCE

CHIEF DEPUTY WHIP

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**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-1309**

November 7, 2005

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CHICAGO, IL 60640  
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EVANSTON, ILLINOIS 60201  
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1420 RENAISSANCE DRIVE, SUITE 102  
PARK RIDGE, IL 60068  
Telephone: 847-298-2128  
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Mr. Tsedeke H. Desta  
920 Lakeside Place # 2408  
Chicago, Illinois 60640

Dear Mr. Desta:

Our office has received a response to the Congressional Inquiry we launched with the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) on your behalf. According to the response, a review of the Name Check Program database concerning your case revealed that your request was received from the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services on August 18, 2004, and is currently in a pending status. This means that there are instances when the FBI's review of a name check request must require as much time as needed to obtain an unequivocally correct result. Please be assured that the immigration authorities will be advised at the earliest possible date upon completion of this case. Once these necessary procedures are finished, processing of this application can continue.

Sincerely,



Hector Pop  
Constituent Advocate

**Exhibit H**

Tsedeke H. Desta  
920 Lake Side Place, #2408  
Chicago, IL 60640

January 30, 2006

Richard Durbin  
U.S. Senator  
c/o Margret Houlihan  
Director of Chicago Office, Rm 3892  
230 S. Dearborn St.  
Chicago, IL 60604

Dear Senator Durbin:

My name is Tsedeke H. Desta. I live at the above cited address in Chicago, Illinois. I am originally from Ethiopia. I applied for citizenship on July 26, 2004, and appeared for interview on ~~September~~<sup>November</sup> 15, 2004. (Please see attached copy of receipt notice and interview result). I was informed that I had successfully passed the exam. The interviewing officer also informed me that a decision could not be made at the time.

It has now been more than a year now and the service has still not made a decision on my case. Over the weeks and months, I have repeatedly gone to the INS Office in Chicago, at 10 Jackson, and had inquired about the status of my case. The standard response has been that my case is still pending. People who have applied long after I did and have already been sworn in as citizens of the of the United States of America.

Your Excellency: unlike a third world country where the rights of its people are routinely trampled upon, this is a country where the rule of law and fair play holds sway. Equality and justice for all is the cornerstone upon which this great Nation is built upon. Despite the fact that my aspirations of becoming a citizen of this great country are being thwarted at every turn, I still believe and have an unshakable conviction that justice will still prevail. Thus, the purpose of this rather long letter to you..

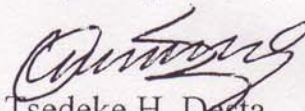
I feel I have exhausted every legal remedy and I turn to you, Senator, for

intervention on my behalf. Without the intervention of your office, I truly believe that the wall of silence, outright indifference and cynicism that surrounds the Immigration & Naturalization Service cannot be breached. I would thus greatly appreciate it and would be in your debt Sir if you could help me realize my long awaited dream of becoming a citizen of this great nation.

If you have any questions, you can reach me at my telephone no. (773) 275-8965.

Thank you and God Bless you.

Very Truly Yours,



Tsedeke H. Desta  
Alien # 73 426 275